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Two Lowellites To Receive Their B.T.C.'s

Robert Wallace McCartney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCartney, 16 Sidney street, will be graduated on May 5 from the Lowell Textile Institute with a bachelor's degree in textile chemistry.

Mr. McCartney was on the president's list for the past four years and because of this he was elected to Tau Epsilon Sigma, the Textile scholastic honor society. He was graduated from the Butler and Lowell high schools. While at the Institute he was a member of the American association of Textile Chemists and Colorists, the Textile Players and the Phi Psi fraternity, for which he played four years of inter-fraternity basketball. He was also placed in charge of the senior chemistry library for the past year.

Paul Francis Noonan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Noonan of 45 By street, was graduated from St. Michael's school in 1934 and from Lowell high school in 1938. At Lowell high he was an officer in the brigade and also treasurer of his graduating class of 1938. On May 5, Noonan will receive his degree of bachelor of textile chemistry at the Institute's commencement exercises at Liberty hall.

While at the institute, Paul attained a high scholastic record and this year was elected president of the Tau Epsilon honorary society. He is also a member of Delta Kappa Phi fraternity and has been pro-consul in this organization for the past year.

On April 6 of this year Noonan enlisted as a flying cadet of the U. S. army and will leave for training school in about two months.

TEXTILE PICKUPS

Glad to hear from you again, Blanchard. I'll keep you informed as to what is new at the Institute.

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Tex Collects First Win in Local Debut

(*Courtesy Lowell Sun*)

Breaking out in their first hitting spree of the season, Lowell Textile baseballers pounded the offerings of Buddy Poitras, bespectacled right-hander, for 11 safeties here yesterday as they downed New Bedford Textile, 12-7, for their first win of the campaign.

Paced by John McKniff and Bill Piekarski, each of whom clouted a homer and triple, the Textilers piled up an early advantage on the visitors and managed to stay out front all the way.

Coach "Rusty" Yarnall sent Jack McNellis, rookie righthander, to the hill at the start of the fray and he got credit for the win although he had to have help from Lou Valente, who pitched the last four frames. Errors on the part of his infielders put McNellis in trouble on a few occasions and it was a home run wallop by Catcher Mogilnicki which led to his downfall after a pair of miscues had put two men on the sacks.

Textile tallied in the first inning on a walk, an infield out and an error while Piekarski's triple and Kerschman's fly gave the Millmen another marker in the second. Sullivan's infield hit and McKniff's circuit smash to center gave the locals two more tallies in the third.

Two errors and Mogilnicki's homer gave New Bedford three runs in the sixth but the Textile lead was never threatened and the Millmen went on to sew the award up with a three-run outburst in the seventh after scoring four times in the fifth. Piekarski's homer and McKniff's triple were the big blows of the four-run uprising while errors on the part of the invaders and Valente's single with the sacks loaded did the trick in the three-run barrage.

Despite their fine work at bat, the Textilers were guilty of nine misplays, six of which helped the invaders considerably.

McKniff and Piekarski, with five hits between them, starred for the Millmen while Bradley and Poitras were the star stickers for the losers.

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Textile Bows to A. I. C., 12 to 6

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Puzzled by the offerings of Buddy Rosso, who limited them to six hits and fanned 11, Lowell Textile was defeated, 10-3, by American International last Thursday in their opening game of the season.

Textile batters displayed a weakness against the curve ball pitching of Rosso, who fanned the entire side in the first and seventh innings.

International boasted two straight wins when it came to town and had little trouble chalking up its third. However, the Millmen were not expected to do much against the highly-touted invaders and their inexperience allowed the A. I. C. club at least three runs which should not have come their way.

Lou Valente, bespectacled right-hander, worked all but two thirds of the first eight frames but the visitors took to his offerings in fine fashion, collecting a dozen hits, four of which were good for extra bases. John McKniff moved over from first base to work on lefthand batters on two occasions and each time retired the batter. Bill McNellis worked the last frame for Textile and yielded one run on a walk, a wild pitch and an error.

International scored three times in the second inning on only one hit. Woitkoski made a three-base muff of Butova's hoist to open the inning and the runner romped home with the first tally of the game on Starycharz's single to right. Two walks jammed the bases. A passed ball and a fielder's choice accounted for the other two tallies.

Ready's long home run over the rightfield wall opened the fourth inning and then two more runs were registered on Jaszek's double and singles by Rosso and Carr.

Textile got two runs back in the fourth when it displayed its only bit of serious batting. Sullivan doubled to left for the first local hit of the game to open the inning and immediately crossed the plate on John McKniff's long triple to right center. After Godet and Harper had been retired, McKniff counted on Gingras' bobble of Woitkoski's grounder.

Infield hits by Hanna and Gingras, an error by Piekarski and an infield out gave the visitors a run in the sixth. They added two more tallies in the eighth on double by Hanna and Butova and a single by Carr. A walk, a wild pitch and O'Donnell's error accounted for the final International tally in the ninth.

Textile's third and final run came in the seventh on Harper's infield hit, a stolen base and O'Donnell's single to right.

Butova, Gingras, Carr and Hanna had two hits each for the winners while McKniff and Harper got two each for Textile.

AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Hanna, 3b	6	1	2	0	0	0
Gingras, 2b, ss	6	1	2	1	3	1
Novak, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Carr, 1b	5	1	2	7	0	0
Butova, lf	5	1	2	3	0	0
Starycharz, ss	4	1	1	1	0	0
Callahan, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ready, cf	3	3	1	3	0	0
Jaszek, c	3	1	1	12	1	0
Rosso, p	5	1	1	0	4	0
Totals	41	10	12	27	8	1

TEXTILE

Sullivan, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
McKniff, 1b, p	4	1	2	12	0	0
Godet, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Tyrie, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Harper, lf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Woitkoski, 3b	4	0	1	1	4	1
O'Donnell, 3b	4	0	1	1	4	1
Piekarski, c	3	0	0	5	1	1
Rowen, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kirschman, ss	3	0	0	1	2	0
Valente, p, 1b	2	0	0	1	2	0
McNellis, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Z—Amerio	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	6	27	12	3

z—Batted for Valente in 8th.

A. I. C.	0	3	0	3	0	1	0	2	1	—10
Textile	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	— 3

N.H.U. Blanks Textile 11-0

(Courtesy of Lowell Sun)

Back at work after accepting an 11-0 defeat administered by the New Hampshire University Wildcats Saturday, Lowell Textile baseballers had a lengthly drill on the slate as they got ready to face New Bedford Textile.

While the Wildcats, with Karelis pouring his fast ball past the Millmen, had an easy time with the locals in the Saturday contests, there were a few performances which caused the Textile coach to be a bit optimistic about the future.

Jim O'Donnell, freshman third sacker, had a busy day against New Hampshire but covered himself with glory. In addition to being the only Textiler to collect a pair of base hits, O'Donnell handled nine chances with only one miscue. He had five assists and three putouts in the course of the contest.

John McKniff turned in a creditable performance on the mound when he swapped places with Lou Valente on three occasions.

After a two-run spurt in the second inning, the home forces turned on the heat, to the tune of six runs in the third and settled the issue. Textile got only four hits, Sullivan and Harper getting one each in addition to the pair of O'Donnell singles.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Dupont, rf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Trayer, 2b	5	2	2	0	2	0
Hanson, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Hall, ss	3	1	1	0	3	0
Adams, cf	3	1	2	3	0	0
Nugent, 1b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Alimi, c	4	2	1	11	0	0
Shugrue, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Karelis, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Chamberlain, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Boucher, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Rhuland, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Charron, 1b	1	1	1	8	0	1
Dupell, p	1	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	11	10	27	8	1

TEXTILE

Sullivan, 2b	4	0	1	2	1	1
O'Donnell, 3b	3	0	2	3	5	1
McKniff, 1b, p	3	0	0	7	0	1
Harper, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Woitkoski, cf	4	0	0	4	0	0
Tyrie, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Piekarski, rf, c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Rowen, c	1	0	0	1	2	0
Kirschman, ss	3	0	0	1	0	0
Valente, p, 1b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	30	0	4	24	9	3

N. H. U.	0	2	6	0	0	0	7	1	x	—11

Two base hit: Alimi. Stolen bases: Thayer, Adams, Sullivan, O'Donnell. Sacrifices: Nugent, Rowen. Left on bases: New Hampshire 7, Textile 5. Base on balls: Off Valente 2, Karelis. Struck out: By Karelis 8, McKniff 2, Valente. Hits: Off Karelis 4 in 8 innings; off Dupell 0 in 1. Valente 9 in 5 2-3, McKniff 1 in 2 1-3. Winning pitcher: Karelis. Losing pitcher Valente. Umpires: Smith and Anson.

ALUMNI NEWS

Clive E. Hockmeyer, Jr., (D-1940) is now at the Remington Arms Plant in Salt Lake City, Utah. On the 7th of February, Mr. Hockmeyer married Miss Roma Nickersen of Newburgh, New York.

Simon Shapiro, B.T.E., '34, and Mrs. Shapiro announce the birth of Dorna Ann on the 20th of April. Mr. and Mrs. Shapiro make their home at 279 Doherty Street, Fall River, Massachusetts.

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